

**ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
PRIVATE SPECIAL EDUCATION DAY SCHOOLS  
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**APACHE COUNTY**

01-21-02

**Chinle Valley School for  
Exceptional Children, Inc.**

P. O. Box 159 (mailing)  
Chief Manuelito Blvd. (site)  
Chinle, AZ 86503  
Ginny Evans, Program Coordinator  
Phone: (520) 674-2700/2711

HI, MD, MD/SSI, OI, VI

Approval Dates: 8/7/00 – 6/8/01

01-21-01

**St. Michaels Association for  
Special Education**

P.O. Drawer 100 (mailing)  
St. Michaels, AZ 86511  
Mustang Road (site)  
James H. Conner, Education Director  
Phone: (520) 871-2810

MIMR, MOMR, MD, OI, OHI, SMR, SLI

Approval Dates: 8/14/00 – 5/18/01

**COCHISE COUNTY**

02-21-01

**Vista Care School**

4120 E. Ramsey Road (mailing/site)  
Hereford, AZ 85615  
Lisa Cohne, Education Director  
Phone: (520) 378-6466

EDP

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**MARICOPA COUNTY**

07-21-96

**Academic Behavioral Accommodations**  
1835 E. Guadalupe Rd., #101-103 (mailing/site)  
Tempe, AZ 85283  
Virginia Shuss, Director  
Phone: (480) 456-0942

EDP, MIMR, MOMR, MD, SLD

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07-21-17

**ABCS - Little Canyon School**  
P.O. Box 39239 (mailing)  
Phoenix, AZ 85069-9239  
3115 West Missouri (site)  
Phoenix, AZ 85017  
Steven J. Kuipers, Director of Education  
Phone: (602) 973-8131, x117

EDP, SLD

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7-21-89

**Accommodation School**  
12440 North 28<sup>th</sup> Drive (mailing/site)  
Phoenix, AZ 85029  
Bonnie Baumgartner, Principal  
Phone: (602) 862-9600

EDP, SLD

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07-21-90

**ACES**  
7317 N. 61st Avenue (mailing/site)  
7702 N. 59<sup>th</sup> Lane (site)  
Glendale, AZ 85301  
2520 S. Alma School Rd. (site)  
Mesa, AZ 85201  
Gene Austin, CEO/Founder  
Phone: (623) 937-5090

EDP, MIMR, OHI, SLD

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**MARICOPA COUNTY (continued)**

07-21-80

**Arizona Youth Academy**

7905 N. 71<sup>st</sup> Ave. (mailing)

Glendale, AZ 85303

3939 E. University (site)

Mesa, AZ 85205

5133 W. Myrtle (site)

Glendale, AZ 85301

Alissa Trollinger, Special Education Coordinator

Phone: (623) 930-1734, x120

EDP, MIMR, MOMR, SLD

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07-21-67

**Children's Center for Neurodevelopmental  
Studies**

5430 W. Glenn Drive (mailing/site)

Glendale, AZ 85301-2628

Karen Fisher, Program Manager

Phone: (623) 915-0345

A, EDP, MOMR, MD, MD/SSI, SMR, TBI

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07-21-60

**Complementing Education**

1106 N. Gilbert Rd., PMB 2157 (mailing)

Mesa, AZ 85203

10825 W. Garden Lakes Pkwy. (site)

Avondale, AZ 85323

Dan Gulchak, Teacher

Phone: (602) 826-8378

EDP

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07-21-97

**DBC Private Day School**

2190 N. Grace Blvd. (mailing/site)

Chandler, AZ 85224

Louis Mallett, Education Coordinator

Phone: (480) 756-1223

EDP, SLD, MIMR, MOMR

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**MARICOPA COUNTY (continued)**

07-21-05

**Desert Voices Oral Learning Center**

5811 N. 20<sup>th</sup> Street (mailing/site)

Phoenix, AZ 85016

Harriet Choffel, Director

Phone: (602) 224-0598

HI

Approval Dates: 8/14/00 – 5/25/01

07-21-02

**Devereux Arizona**

6436 E. Sweetwater Ave. (mailing/site)

Scottsdale, AZ 85254

Joyce Williamson, Principal

Phone: (480) 998-2920, x2201

A, EDP, MIMR, MOMR, SLD

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07-21-40

**Foundation for Blind Children**

1235 E. Harmont Dr. (mailing/site)

Phoenix, AZ 85020-3864

Carol White, Director, Business Services

Phone: (602) 331-1470

MD/SSI, VI

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07-21-20

**Gompers Center**

6601 N. 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue (mailing/site)

Phoenix, AZ 85017

Misty Weir, Special Ed Director

Phone: (602) 336-0061, x115

A, MIMR, MOMR, MD, MD/SSI,  
OI, OHI, SMR, TBI

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**MARICOPA COUNTY (continued)**

07-21-70

**Hi-Star Center for Children**

P. O. Box 6466 (mailing)  
Glendale, AZ 85312  
3120 W. Cholla (site)  
Phoenix, AZ 85029  
Kristin E. Texada, Program Director  
Phone: (602) 548-3038

A, EDP, MIMR, MOMR, MD/SSI  
SLD, SLI

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07-21-44

**Howard S. Gray Education Program**

7575 East Earl Drive (mailing/site)  
Scottsdale, AZ 85251  
Rand W. Lane, Principal  
Phone: (480) 941-7558

EDP, SLD

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07-21-64

**LATCH School, Inc.**

8145 North 27th Avenue (mailing/site)  
Phoenix, AZ 85051  
2720 S. Hardy, Suite #2 (site)  
1131 W. Broadway (site)  
Tempe, AZ 85281  
Marjorie Cook, Education Director  
Phone: (602) 995-7366

A, EDP, HI, MIMR, MOMR, MD,  
MD/SSI, OI, OHI, SMR, SLD, SLI, TBI,  
VI (All)

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07-21-98

**Life Development Institute**

18001 N. 79<sup>th</sup> Ave., E-71 (mailing/site)  
Glendale, AZ 85308  
Robert Crawford, President  
Phone: (623) 773-2774

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**MARICOPA COUNTY (continued)**

07-21-35

**New Foundation/Marion Burton School**

EDP, SLD

P.O. Box 3828 (mailing)  
Scottsdale, AZ 85271  
1200 N. 77th Street (site)  
Scottsdale, AZ 85257  
Bev Gerbase, Principal  
Phone: (480) 945-3302

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07-21-08

**New Way Learning Academy**

EDP, SLD, SLI

1300 N. 77th Street (mailing/site)  
1201 N. 85<sup>th</sup> Place (site)  
Scottsdale, AZ 85257  
Dawn Gutierrez, Executive Director  
Phone: (480) 946-9112

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07-21-74

**Phoenix Center for Education**

EDP, SLD

4229 N. 16th Street (mailing/site)  
Phoenix, AZ 85016  
Trisha Loban, Director of Education  
Phone: (602) 230-0010

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07-21-22

**PREHAB of Arizona, Inc.**

EDP, SLD

**William K. Eaton School**

P. O. Drawer 5860 (mailing)  
Mesa, AZ 85211-5860  
3420 E. University (site)  
Mesa, AZ 85203  
Beth Noble, Special Projects Director  
Phone: (480) 969-4024, x204

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07-21-86

**Saguaro Center for Exceptional Education**

8802 N. 61st Avenue (mailing/site)

Glendale, AZ 85302

Virginia Shuss, Director

Phone: (623) 463-3410

EDP, SLD

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07-21-46

**Southwest Education Center**

7508 N. 59th Avenue (mailing/site)

Glendale, AZ 85301

1425 E. Washington (site)

Phoenix, AZ 85034

Patricia Blanton, Executive Director

Phone: (623) 937-9443

A, EDP, MIMR, MOMR, OHI, SLD,  
SLI, TBI

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07-21-75

**Upward Foundation**

6306 N. Seventh Street (mailing/site)

Phoenix, AZ 85014

Sharon L. Graham, Education Services Coordinator

Phone: (602) 279-5801

MD, MD/SSI

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07-21-15

**Valley of the Sun School  
& Habilitation Center**

1142 West Hatcher RD. (mailing/site)

Phoenix, AZ 85021

Rosalie M. Poorten, Education Coordinator

Phone: (602) 371-0806

MIMR, MOMR, MD, SMR

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07-21-95

**Valley Vocational Services**

617 N. Second Avenue (mailing/site)  
Phoenix, AZ 85003  
Drt. Iris Drower, Special Ed Liaison  
Phone: (602) 957-1234

EDP, SLD

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07-21-66

**Youth ETC – Exodus School**

4414 North 19th Avenue (mailing/site)  
Phoenix, AZ 85015-4114  
Sandra J. Frank, Principal  
Phone: (602) 285-5550

EDP

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**PIMA COUNTY**

10-21-06

**Arizona's Children Association  
Covert School**

P. O. Box 7277 (mailing)  
Tucson, AZ 85725-7277  
2700 S. 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue (site)  
Tucson, AZ 85713  
Sabrina Hallman, Principal  
Phone: (520) 622-7611, x1307

EDP, SLD

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10-21-39

**La Frontera Child/Family Center**

502 W. 29<sup>th</sup> Street (mailing/site)  
Tucson, AZ 85713  
Linda J. Lopez, Education Coordinator  
Phone: (520) 884-9920, x254

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**YUMA COUNTY**

14-21-01

**Bridges Academy**

2549 Arizona Avenue, Suite H (mailing/site)

Yuma, AZ 85364

Linda Munk, Program Manager

Phone: (520) 341-9199

EDP

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